



# TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### **Westbound State Route 37 Closed Due to Flooding Emergency Repair Update**

*Crews Pumping Water from Westbound SR-37 Lanes  
Eastbound SR-37 Reopened February 27*

**Marin County** – Caltrans is continuing work to reopen the westbound lanes of State Route 37 (SR-37) in Marin County. Crews are now using motorized pumps to remove the remaining water off the westbound SR-37 traffic lanes after torrential rains pounded the North Bay this week.

Both westbound and eastbound SR-37 were closed just after midnight on Tuesday, February 27. Eastbound SR-37 was reopened around 3:30 PM February 27.

This is the second time this month flooding has forced an extended closure of westbound SR-37.

On February 15, a 5-day closure of westbound SR-37 was required after a nearby levee breached and flooded the area. Caltrans and other local agencies worked together to repair the levee and reopen westbound SR-37 on February 20.

The westbound SR-37 section which flooded this week is located on either side of the Novato Creek Bridge which is west of the section of SR-37 affected by the levee breach earlier this month.

Westbound SR-37 was closed on Tuesday, February 27 and remains closed in Novato at Atherton Avenue.

At least one lane of eastbound SR-37 remained open as of 2:00 PM February 28.

Motorists are advised to expect delays and allow extra time for their commute.

Travel information is available on Caltrans QuickMap: <http://quickmap.dot.ca.gov/> and [511.org](http://511.org). Follow us on Twitter: @CaltransD4 or @CaltransHQ

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